



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Patent Application of:)
Jens PETERSEN) Group Art Unit: 1615
Application No.: 09/938,667) Examiner: B. Fubara
Filing Date: August 27, 2001)
Title: POLYACRYLAMIDE HYDROGEL FOR THE TREATMENT OF INCONTINENCE AND)))
VESICOURETAL REFLUX)

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